

## U.S. NATIONAL STAGE WORKSHEET (DO/EO)

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## INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION PAPERS IN THE APPLICATION FILE:

☒ International application  
☐ Article 19 amendments  
☒ Priority Document(s) No. 1  
☐ Request Form PCT/RO/101  
☐ PCT/IB/302  
☐ PCT/IB/304  
☐ PCT/IB/306  
☒ PCT/IB/308  
☐ PCT/IB/331  
☐ OTHER PCT/IB/  
☐ PCT/IPEA/409 also 416

\_\_\_\_\_ 409 annexes to IPER  
 \_\_\_\_\_ PCT/ISA/210 (Search report)  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Search report References  
☒ Other Papers filed Status request 15 July 05  
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## RECEIVED FROM THE APPLICANT: (other than checked above)-----

☒ National application basic fee paid  
☒ Express Processing Requested  
☐ Translation of the International Application  
☐ Used the IB copy of the IA  
☒ Description 4 (1) AB  
☒ Claims 1  
☒ Drawings 1  
☐ Foreign Language in drawing  
☐ Article 19 Amendments  
☐ Amendment used in application  
☐ Article 34 Amendment  
☐ Amendment used in application  
☐ DNA  
☐ I194 transaction done

☒ Preliminary Amendment(s) filed 11 Mar 05  
☐ second submission  
☒ Information Disclosure Statement 11 Mar 05  
☐ second submission  
☐ Assignment  
☐ Forward to Assignment Branch  
☐ Substitute Specification  
☐ Small Entity Statement  
☒ type \_\_\_\_\_  
☒ Oath/Declaration (date submitted 31 OCT 05)  
☐ Not executed  
☒ Executed  
☐ Power of Attorney  
☐ Change of Address

prepaid surcharge

35 USC Receipt of Request (PTO -- 1399 Transmittal Letter) 11 Mar 05

Date Acceptable oath/declaration received 31 OCT 05

102(c) Date

Date complete 35 USC 371 requirements met 31 OCT 05

DATE NOTICE COMPLETED

DO/EO 903 Notice of Acceptance SK

DO/EO 905 Notice of Missing Requirements SK

DO/EO 917 Notice of A defective oath or declaration

DO/EO 916 Notice of defective response

DO/EO 913 Notice of defective translation

DO/EO 909 Notification of Abandonment